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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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## **PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 October 23, 2006

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 22, 2006 for one month from September 22, 2006 to October 23, 2006 (October 22, 2006 being a Saturday).

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$120.00 for the cost of the extension. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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